NOTICE OF THE MEETING OF THE NEBRASKA BOARD OF NURSING

Thursday, June 11, 2009
Board of Nursing Meeting
8:30 a.m.
Gold's Building
Room 534
1033 O Street
Lincoln, NE 68508

AGENDA

A. CALL TO ORDER (8:30 a.m.)

Roll Call Declaration of Quorum

B. REVIEW OF AGENDA (8:35 a.m.)

- 1. Additions, Modifications, Reordering and Adoption of Agenda
- 2. Adoption of Consent Agenda:
 - a. Approval of May 14, 2009 Board of Nursing Meeting Minutes
 - b. Approval of May 13, 2009 Practice Committee Meeting Minutes
 - c. Approval of May 13,2009 Education Committee Meeting Minutes

C. APPROVAL OF BOARD MINUTES OF MAY 14, 2009—CONSENT

Following roll call and declaration of a quorum and adoption of the agendas, the board will go into closed session for the purpose of reviewing investigative reports. Members of the public may not be present in closed session. The board will remain in closed session until all cases have been reviewed. It is estimated that the board will come out of closed session at approximately 12:00 p.m. Members of the public may wait outside the meeting room during closed sessions. The signage on the door to the meeting room will be changed when the board comes out of closed session. The public may then enter the meeting.

CLOSED SESSION (8:40 a.m.-12:00 p.m.)

D. DISCIPLINE

Outcome: The board's involvement in the disciplinary process is expedient, effective and efficient.

- 1. Proposed orders/Agreed Settlements
- 2. Licensure applications
- 3. Case Reviews

OPEN SESSION (12:00 p.m.)

12:30 p.m. The board will recess briefly for lunch and hearing preparation.

REINSTATEMENT HEARING-Jane Sundell (1:00 p.m.)

2:30 p.m. The Board will recess.

CLOSED SESSION (3:00 p.m.)

3:00 p.m. The board will go into closed session to deliberate on the findings from the hearing just concluded and to complete review of disciplinary cases and initial applications as needed.

OPEN SESSION (3:30 p.m.)

E. LICENSURE

Outcomes: Only qualified applicants are licensed

Licensing requirements serve to protect the public

The application process is streamlined for maximum efficiency

Continued competence requirements support safe nursing practice

Licensure Recommendations

- a. Examination
- b. Endorsement
- c. Reinstatement

F. PRACTICE COMMITTEE

Approval of May 13, 2009 Committee Meeting Minutes—CONSENT

G EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Approval of May 13, 2009 Committee Meeting Minutes--CONSENT

H.COMMUNICATIONS

- a. Report of committee activities, publications, consultation, speaking activities
- b. Report of National Council related activities
 - 1. Kathy Apple's Fellowship into the American Academy of Nursing
 - 2. Staff changes
 - 3. Plans for attending Annual meeting in August
 - 4. Update on grant regarding transition to practice
- c. Update regarding filling of Executive Office position for the board of nursing
- d. Plans for appreciate dinner for Dawn Frizell
- e. Replacement for Dawn Frizell as representative to the Nursing Leadership Coalition
- f. Plans for activating the Centennial Celebration Committee

I. CONCLUSION AND ADJOURNMENT (4:30 p.m.)

- 1. Synthesize meeting outcomes
- 2. Identify communication outcomes of meeting
- 3. Next meeting is scheduled for July 8-9, 2009

All items known at the time of distribution of this agenda are listed: a current agenda is available in the office of the Licensure Unit, 3rd Floor, State Office Building, 301 Centennial Mall South, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Times assigned for discussion of each agenda item are only estimates. The Board reserves the right to reorder the agenda as needed.

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